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SUBJ: DOT PARTICIPATION IN SPANISH MOPW MEETING

1. DOT HAS BEEN INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN A TRAINING PROGRAM ON QTE ENGINEERING AND TRANSPORTATION UNQTE SPONSORED BY THE MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS, DIRECTORATE OF SURFACE TRANSPORTATION. IN CORRESPONDENCE WITH JORGE HERNANDO, DOT HAS ACCEPTED INVITATION BUT HAS NOT YET CONFIRMED NAME OF ITS EXPERT.

2. PLEASE ADVISE HERNANDO OF FOLLOWING: MR. INGRAM WILL NOT RPT NOT BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE ON OCTOBER 5 DUE TO NECESSITY REMAIN IN WASHINGTON FOR APPROPRIATION HEARINGS AND MR. STEVEN R. DITMYER WILL MAKE THE PRESENTATION ON OCTOBER 5. DITMEYER IS AN OPERATIONS RESERARCH ANALYST WITH THE OFFICE OF ECONOMICS, FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION. HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE NORTHEAST CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION PROJECT STAFF WHERE HE WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR STRUCTURING AND EXECUTING THE ANALYSIS TO DETERMINE THE LEVEL OF OPTIMUM RAILWAY SERVICE AND PLANT INVESTMENT. HE ALSO SERVED ON THE TASK FORCE WHICH CREATED AMTRAK AND ESTABLISHED THEIR INITIAL ROUTE NETWORK. HE HOLDS DEGREES FROM MIT AND YALE AND IS A MEMBER OF TAU BETA  
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PI AND THE AMERICAN RAILROAD ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION.

3. DITMEYER'S TRAVEL IS BEING PAID BY MOPW. PLEASE SUGGEST TO HERNANDO THAT HE ARRANGE PREPAID TICKET FOR DITMEYER TO BE COLLECTED AT AN AIRLINE OFFICE IN WASHINGTON.

4. PLEASE RESERVE SINGLE FOR DITMEYER OCTOBER 4 THRU 6. HE WILL ARRIVE MADRID A.M. OCTOBER 4. PLEASE ADVISE NAME HOTEL, LOCATION OCTOBER 5 MEETING, AND NAME OF AIRLINE HOLDING PREPAID TICKET IN REPLY. SLUGGED FOR DOT, ATTN: DE TERRA, TIP-42. KISSINGER.

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